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REMARKS

In response to the office action of July 28, 2006, Applicants amend the application by canceling the non-allowed claims.

In particular, claims 47, 51, 55, 59, and 60 are cancelled.

Claims 48-50, 52-54, 56-58, 62-63, 65, and 66 remain pending. Claims 48 and 49 have been amended overcome the objection to the claims.

Objection to claims 48-49

Claims 48-49 stand objected to for informalities. Applicants have clarified the antecedent basis of the "program voltage" as noted by the Examiner. The objection is believed overcome.

Rejection of Claims 47, 51, 55, 59, and 60

Claims 47, 51, 55, 59, and 60 stand rejected over each of Tanaka and Shibata.

Also, claims 47, 51, and 55 stand rejected over Nobukata

Claims 47, 51, 55, 59, and 60 have been cancelled. The rejection is overcome.

If any fees are required or if an overpayment is made, the Commissioner is authorized to debit or credit our Deposit Account No. 19-0733 accordingly.

Respectfully Submitted,

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